THE BUTLER FORCES ARE ROUTED, HORSE FOOT AND DRAGOONS

Charles A. Cannon, of Concord, Endorsed for United States Senator by Believed to Have Been Republicans Thursday.

JACKSON CHOSEN STATE CHAIRMAN

Tilt of Butler's Strength Came on His Motion for Party Organization. Convention Details.

Raleigh Bureau of The Concord Tribune.

Raleigh, April 9.—Butlerism yesterday caused its biennial temporary breach in the ranks of the Republican party in North Carolina, but the usual love feast followed once the former senator had taken his periodical defeat and the thousand odd devotees of the grand old party parted on the best of terms.

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a change to what he termed the "national plan" of organization. Are represented to talk until long after the echoes of the battle had died away.

The final vote on the Butler proposal was 205.54 for, 765 against, out of a total vote of 971. Mr. Butler's sole strength, with a few minor exceptions, lay in Eastern Carolina, his home section. Western Carolina his home section of the credit for the acceptance by the convention of the amendment to the plan of organization offered by the organization of the special district to four, makes the representation from each congressional district to four, makes them elective, partially, at least, by the people, and provides for a committee to study various plans of organization and report back to the 1928 convention. It is doubtful if any change would have been made at all had it not been for the determined fight put up by the ex-senator, even though, at first, he appeared as unalternably opposed to the organizations compromise proposal.

It was Western Carolina's day throughout, Not only were the degrates from the mountain and Pied-gates from the mountain and Pied-gate



Concord Theatre SATURDAY

BOATS CAUSED THE DEATH OF SAILORS

Pitched Into Mississippi.

EXPLOSIONS ON BOATS HARMFUL

Five Men Reported Missing After Series of Ex-plosions on Tank Steam-er—Several Injured.

Aside from the Butler plan, there were no differences of opinion of any moment during the entile convention. In fact, that was the only question accorded the dignity of a vote by counties. All others were settled by the "aye" and "no" method or by rising votes.

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The state platform, accepted without a dissenting voice—few could have dissented for the vast majority have even yet but vague ideas as to what it contained—differs but little from previous Republican platforms. It lauds the accomplishments of the party in terms of economy, efficiency and prosperity; upholds prohibition; pledges the extension of all legal advantages to invite more abundant capital into the state highway asystem; sets up a liberal policy of education, with a uniform system of state-wide taxation for school purposes to encourage the adoption of a school system which will give all children equal opportunity; flays what it terms excessive taxation, with a promise to abolish the equalizing fund in favor of the aforementioned state-wide tax; proposes to make the agriculture department into a direct agency for aiding the farmer is finding a market for his crops and hits blungeon blows at alleged election frauds on the part of the democrats.

The platform committee consisted of T. J. Harkins, W. C. Meekins, W. H. Fisher, J. B. Mason and R. D. Biske. That it had the entire confidence of the convention became evident when a delegate interrupted the

Marathoner



The Mecklenburg-Cabarrus Associa-tion B. Y. P. U. meets at Cornelius Sunday, April 11th, at 3 p. m. Good music. Dr. Luther Little—Inspira-tion. Public cordially invited.

Running Shares 25 cents per share per

Prepaid Shares

\$72.25

New Series is Now Open

week.

Federation Spokesman Challenges Drys For Referendum On Wines

William Roberts Tells Sen-

WANTS VOTE TO

Federation Head.

Washington, April 9.—(49)—A cha

"I sincerely believe that these who oppose light wines and beers realize that a referendum would declare in

Telling of the 30,000 mile trip that he and the late Samuel Gompers made over the country in 1923 and 1924, the witness said that "everywhere he

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WOULD DRAFT INDUSTRY AS WELL AS FIGHTERS

Legion Fighting For Universal Draft
Which is Embraced in Capper Bill.
Washington. April 9,—QP)—The
American Legion drive for a universal draft of industry as well as man
power in event of war, began today
before the Senate military committee, with proponents of the Capper
bill urging its enactment as "a peace
plan as well as a preparedness mease

Frank O'Donnell, star Montreal marathon runner, who will compete in the famous Boston A. A. race, to held shortly. O'Donnell is 2" characteristics of the competence of the co

Major General Hanson Ely, head of the army war college, said that "at the end of the war we had a system which even the Germans envied." He said that the Capper

Republican convention and the prevalence of negro delegates. Some, of a reflective turn of nind, looked around an marveled in the changes in personnel which the years have wrought, so the property of the convention of transfers, lawyers or business men.

As Mayor J. M. Manning, of Durham, a staunch Democrat, remarked in his address of welcome: "I didn't know there were this many Republicans in North Carolina, but I will say, as I look about me, that the state would be safe in their hands." The mayor drew an hearty round of applause with that, and the round was repeated when he added that "When we reach the pearly gates, St. Petr won't ask us what party or church we belonged to on earth or whether or not we believe in the Volsated act."

Prohibition came in for mention another time, when a delegate remarked apropos of little or nothing, that his heart was with prohibition but his stomach was against it.

Brownlow Jackson, new the state chairman, is marshall of the Western North Carolina Federal district, having been re-appointed only last year on the expiration of his first term, which begun in 1921.

During his tenure of office he has arned a most enviable reputation for personal bravery and an indomitable will. This was referred to, it is generally understood, are the fifth, eighth and tenth.

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The Mecklenburg-Cabarrus Association B. Y. P. U. meets at Cornelius.

The preliminary contest in Bible Stories for St. James Lutheran Sunday School will be held on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Church. The children selected in these preliminaries will take part in the final Bible Story Contests.

WHO KNOWS WHEN

If you keep much money in the House, hidden away or on

your person, sooner or later "thieves may break through and steal."

Your loss is almost as cer-

tain, often more so, if you gam-ble hard-earned money on wild schemes proclaiming

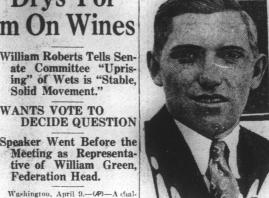
wild schemes proclaiming profits that are both quick and

But a "building and loan" account is notably safe.

large.

CABARRUS COUNTY B. L. & SAVINGS ASS'N

OFFICE IN CONCORD NATIONAL BANK



Southeast of here, three thousand men were battling the flames to save three houge reservoirs and a number of surface tanks to at were threatened. The dange here to market opened fairly steady today at a decline of 4 to 6 points in response to overnight selling orders and relatively easy Liverpool cables. Initial offerings were compartively light and were soon absorbed, the market utrning steadier on covering and trade buying of near months.

In addition selling of new cropmonths evidently was held in cheek by forecasts of showers or occasional raions in the southwest, and demand for May and July had sustaining influence on the general list. Prices recovered most of the early losses, and the market held within a point or two of yesterday's closing prices with May selling at 18.78 at the end of the first hour.

Cotton futures opened fairly steady.

the witness said that "everywhere he went there was plenty of distilled liquor, but seldom real beer."

"We found that the homes of the people had been turned into brewerles and distilleries which turned out dangerous decoctions that if drunk to any exent would ruin the health of those who drank them," he continued. "When asked why they drank such stuff they said there was nothing else to be obtained, and they invariably asked when members of Congres would realize that the manufacture and sale of beer would make for true temperance." Women as well as men were interested in such questioning.

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"The wage carner as well as people generally cannot understand how a man can be personally wet and politically dry. The straw vote will awaken men to the fact that they have been misinformed as to the real situation that it is not necessary for them to straddle the fence. It may give them courage to vote their real convictions.

Mess Boy

hour. Cotton futures opened fairly steady.

May 18.72; July 18.18; Oct. 17.42; Dec. 17.09; Jan. 17.04.

"I haven't the least doubt of it," replied Roberts.

"Does the American Federation of Labor oppose the 18th amendment?" Asked Senator Harreld, Republican, of Oklahoma,

"No, it is urging 2.75 beer."

"Can you give us the number of state federations that have asked for the developed the theme most instructive beer?" put in Senator Walsh, Democrat, of Montana.

"All of them coincide in the action of the executive council," Roberts said. "None of them has protested,"

convictions.

"No doubt this issue will be raised in many Congressional districts, the outcome of which will give a better idea of the sentiment in favor of a modification of the Volstead act, as well was the wage camers do not believe it a true interpretation of the 18th amendment.

"Any law that takes away a right is highly objectionable to the American people, and the fanatical statements so frequently heard and printed increase the resentment against the cff if he had them.

FIRE FIGHTERS IN LONG BATTLE Library TO STOP OIL FIRE

More Than Eight Million Gallons of Oil Stored in California Have Been Burning for Two Days.

COMPANY KNOWN FOR ITS WEALTH

Oil is Property of Union He Is Being Aided by State Oil Company, Which Re-cently Paid Dividend of 50 Cents Per Share.

San Luis Abispo, Calif., April 9.— (P)—Men today continued their two-day battle against flames that were consuming about 8,500,000 barrels of oil stored by the Union Oil Company on two-tank farms in California. The before the 6,000,000 barrels of perto

Wants to Know Where Money Is Coming From.

Washington, April 9.—(P)—A demand for information as to the funds to be used to pay the expenses of Carmi Thompson and his staff in an investigation of Philippine affairs was made in the Senate today by Senator King, democrat. of Utah, who introduced a resolution on the subject.

"On The Threshold of the Kingdom"

Mr. Trueblood's Subject Tonight-Revival

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Mr. Betts' Last Night With Us. He will sing "The Ninety and Nine"

A Great Meeting Closing Come

... MIDLAND BANI

Safe of Bank Was Opened Thursday Afternoon But Its Contents Have Not Been Checked Yet.

SHERIFF WORKING FOR MORE CLUES

Bank Examiners Who Are Checking Records
For Possible Losses.

With Our Advertisers.

Another new store has opened in Concord, Pender's Economy Grocery Store No. 162, in the room next to Cline's Pharmacy, Look for the yellow front. You will find here yellow front. You will find here here has groceries at low / prices.

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one cent a toat, one toat to a customer.

Sewing machine repairs for all
makes at Ritchie Hardware Co.
You will find many specials for
Saturday at the J. & H. Cash Store.
Living room furniture of quality
at H. B. Wilkinson's.
The glorious, unforgettable "Blossom Time" will be rendered at the
Caralotte Auditorium next Monday,
matinee and night.
The Parks-Belk Co. has just received a big shimment of straws and

able to discuss the case with Whether the persons who bank took any money from will not be known until the e-have finished their work.

Another Tanker Wrecked plosion on River.

New Orlean, La., April 5 cials of Plaque Mines Parish fied New Orleans authorities by telephone that an oil tanker

Another new store has opened in Concord, Pender's Economy Grocery Store No. 162, in the room next to Cline's Pharmacy. Look for the yellow front. You will find here high class groceries at low prices. See ad. in this paper for some prices. Saturday only Pender's will sell 500 loaves of Our Pride breed for only one cent a loaf, one loaf to a customer. Another new store has opened in

SAT'S BEAR SAYS:



